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City of Barrie

Final

Infrastructure and Community Investment Committee

Wednesday, March 5, 2025 | **4:30 PM** | **Council Chambers**

INFRASTRUCTURE AND COMMUNITY INVESTMENT COMMITTEE REPORT
For consideration by General Committee on March 19, 2025.

The meeting was called to order by Chair, Councillor, B. Hamilton at 4:08 p.m. The following were in attendance for the meeting:

Present: 5 - Chair – Councillor B. Hamilton
Mayor, A. Nuttall
Deputy Mayor, R. Thomson
Councillor, N. Nigussie
Councillor, C. Riepma

ALSO PRESENT:
Councillor, C. Nixon
Councillor, AM. Kungl
Councillor, G. Harvey.

STAFF:
Associate Director of Corporate Asset Management, K. Oakley
Associate Director of Waste Management and Environmental Sustainability, S. Mack
City Clerk/Director of Legislative and Court Services, W. Cooke
Communication Advisor, E. O'Brien
Deputy City Clerk, T. Macdonald
Director of Economic and Creative Development, S. Schlichter
Director of Infrastructure, S. Diemert
Director of Recreation and Culture Services, K. Datema
Executive Director of Development Services, M. Banfield
General Manager of Access Barrie, R. James-Reid
General Manager of Community and Corporate Services, J. Schmidt
General Manager of Infrastructure and Growth Management, B. Araniyasundaran
Legislative Coordinator, T. Maynard
Manager of Solid Waste Management, Policy and Planning, B. Mitchell
Senior Policy Advisor and Special Projects Coordinator, E. Chappell
Service Desk Specialist, K. Kovacs

The Infrastructure and Community Investment Committee met and reports as follows:

PRESENTATION CONCERNING THE 2024 ANNUAL DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION REPORT

Sherry Diemert, Director of Infrastructure provided a presentation concerning the 2024 Annual Design and Construction Report.

Ms. Diemert discussed slides concerning the following topics:

- The Department's historical data between 2019 to 2024;
- Infrastructure Carry-Over between 2019 to 2024;
- The status of the following Infrastructure projects:
  - EN177 Bryne Drive New Road Construction Harvie to North of Caplan;
  - EN1166 - Duckworth Street New Transmission Watermain and Road Expansion;
  - EN1288 Bayview Drive New Transmission Watermain and Road Expansion;
  - EN1319 Eugenia Street Reconstruction;
  - EN1238 Wellington D1;
  - EN1280 Queens Park A1 Neighbourhood Reconstruction;
  - EN1257 McKay Road Expansion - Reid Drive to West of Highway 400;
  - EN1549 Pavement Management Program;
  - EN1463 Sophia Creek Owen Tributary storm outlet from Memorial Square;
  - EN1487 Ferndale Water Tower - Repairs and Upgrades; and
  - EN1468 Surface Water Treatment Plant Control System Upgrade.
- The 2025 New Construction.

Members of Committee did not ask questions of the presenter.

PRESENTATION CONCERNING AN UPDATE ON THE AUTOMATED CART COLLECTION - CARTS ROLLING TO THE CURB

Bridget Mitchell, Manager of Solid Waste Management Policy and Planning and Stephanie Mack, Associate Director of Waste Management and Environmental Sustainability provided a presentation concerning an update on the Automated Cart Collection - Carts Rolling to the Curb.

Ms. Mitchell and Ms. Mack discussed slides concerning the following topics:

- A video showcasing automated cart collection;
- Cart capacity and storage space;
- Residential and business institutional set-outs;
- Cart limits based on property type;
- Cart selection and registration to March 31, 2025;
- A preview of the carts at select City facilities;
- The timeline related to roll out of the carts; and
- Contact information for the carts.

Members of Committee asked a number of questions of City staff and received responses.

REPORT OF THE ARTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE DATED JANUARY 28, 2025.

The Report of the Arts Advisory Committee dated January 28, 2025, was received.

REPORT OF THE COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM COMMITTEE DATED FEBRUARY 4, 2025.

The Report of the Communities in Bloom Committee dated February 4, 2025, was received.

REPORT OF THE ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION AND SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE DATED FEBRUARY 6, 2025.

The Report of the Active Transportation and Sustainability Committee dated February 6, 2025, was received.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

CHAIRMAN